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Director
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In reading the December 13, 1982, edition of U.S. News and World Report, I noticed the enclosed article on President Reagan's Cabinet. From the photograph on Page 67, we can see that Director Casey is present in the foreground at the meeting of the Cabinet. Yet, when I read through the article, I see no mention of the Central Intelligence Agency or the fact that Mr. Casey is a Member of the President's Cabinet.

Perhaps U.S. News and World Report should be reminded that the Director of Central Intelligence is a Cabinet ranked officer and that his performance to date has some bearing on how President Reagan's Cabinet "stacks up now."

Warm regards.

Sincerely,

RRS

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Staff Director

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Enclosure